



FASHION EVENT—Mrs. Ralph Madden Jr., secretary of the Hi Neighbor Club, looks on as Miss Patricia Akers serves Mrs. Frank Oldt, president, a cup of coffee as she practices balancing a tray for her hostess duties at the buffet garden party, Aug. 12. "Back to School" fashions will be the theme of the party, slated at the Madden home, 2018 West 180th St. Patricia, a student at Steven White Junior High School, is the niece of Mr. and Mrs. James Hammonds of 23261 South Caroleale.

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'Let's Go Native Luau' Slated by Polynesian

"Let's Go Native at a Luau" is the theme of the native feast and festival to be presented by the Polynesian Restaurant Sunday, Aug. 16, to which the public is invited by advance reservation.

What will set this luau apart from others held at the exotic tropical establishment is the new low price of \$7.50 per person, a new policy instituted by Pete Reitz, owner of The Polynesian and producer of the outdoor pageants.

The colorful feast will begin at 2 p.m., and for the first hour there will be "open bar" at the Samoan hospitality hut. Authentically prepared foods-of-the-islands and outstanding native entertainment will be presented.

Irish McCalla, better known as "Sheena, Queen of the Jungle," will be starred in a primitive Tahitian love dance. Featured will be Tani Marsh, "The Polynesians" and many island entertainers from Samoa, Hawaii and Tahiti.

Reservations for "Let's Go Native at a Luau" are now being taken at The Polynesian Restaurant.

Private Plane Brings Family Visitors Here

Thursday, a week following their departure from Cairo Egypt, Major and Mrs. Sam J. Little Jr., landed their private Cessna at Torrance Airport.

Here to visit Mrs. Little's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Isbell of 1516 Beech St., the Littles will leave in a few weeks for their new assignment with the U. S. Air Force in Amarillo, Texas.

The Littles flew from Cairo to Germany and from there to Texas where Major Little, a pilot, purchased the private plane.

The family which includes four children, has spent the last 3 1/2 years overseas in Scotland and Egypt. Their nine month old son was born in Egypt and their youngest daughter in Scotland.



MRS. C. WARREN LAUTERBECK —Photo by Seeman

Shepherd, Lauterbeck Linked in Marriage

Western Ave. Baptist Church was the setting for the Saturday evening wedding service uniting Miss Carol June Shepherd and C. Warren Lauterbeck in marriage.

The bride, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Shepherd of 1552 W. 215th St., was given in marriage by her father to the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lauterbeck of 21120

Delton Ave. Rev. J. Burnett performed the nuptial rites uniting the couple at the double ring ceremony.

The bride wore a white lace over blue satin gown with seed pearl embroidery at the neckline and carried a bouquet of white roses and orchids.

Miss Evelyn Perrine, wearing a blue brocade dress and carrying a bouquet of white roses and blue carnations, acted as the maid of honor with Miss De Voie Grubbs in an identical gown as bridesmaid.

Roland Fuette and Noel Rymers acted as candle lighters and the bride's sister Mrs. Joan Danday as guest book registrar.

Bobby Danday was ring bearer and Deborah Danday dressed in blue taffeta and carrying a basket of blue carnations was flower girl.

Completing the wedding party were James Perrine as best man and Bob Grubbs, John Sampson, Henry Brink and Tom Shepherd as ushers.

A reception in honor of the newlyweds was held in the church hall immediately following the ceremony.

The bride is a graduate of Narbonne High School, class of 1955. The bridegroom graduated from San Pedro High School in 1954. Both the bride and bridegroom are employed by the telephone company in Los Angeles.

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DAY DREAMING—Mrs. Kenneth McVey of 17644 Cranbrook Ave. washes dishes in her home and relives her recent trip to the Air Force Academy at Colorado Springs as she looks at pictures of some of the fast flying American planes she saw on the tour of the Army installation.

Mrs. McVey Reports on Air Force Tour

America looks pretty secure from enemy air attack. This was the conclusion of Mrs. Kenneth McVey of 17644 Cranbrook, on return from her recent visit to the Air Force Academy and NORAD headquarters of the Air Defense Command at Colorado Springs.

A guest of the Air Force, Mrs. McVey was selected for a first hand look at the defense system by the Torrance Chamber of Commerce.

Twenty-six women all active in civic, community and educational affairs were included. The trip was made in a chartered Air Force plane with personal escort given by Captain Dorotha Wunderlich, Air Force office of information service.

The highlight of the trip for Mrs. McVey was the visit to the "windowless, concrete structure" housing the huge radar screens that detect unidentified planes in the North American skies.

The intricate operation patrols an area of more than three million square miles and over 10,000 miles of border, Mrs. McVey was told.

Also visited were the Cadet's quarters of the new Air Force Academy where briefings were given on curriculum, entrance requirements and the "routine life in a day of a Cadet."

"The academy is 10 miles north of Colorado Springs, explains Mrs. McVey, who tells of being housed in the beautiful modernist Visiting Officers quarters during the stay.

"It was a trip I'll always remember," she says. "The other women were so interesting and all were outstanding in their fields."

Among the 26 women honored by the tour were Mary Cummings, wife of actor Robert Cummings; Mrs. Charles Dail wife of the Mayor of San Diego and Mrs. Marjorie Trumbull, daily columnist of the San Francisco Chronicle.

"Best of all I still have something to look forward to," concludes Mrs. McVey. "A 16 MM movie of the entire trip will be sent to each of us who took part in the three day event."

Florence Viellenave, deputy grand matron was escorted to the East and presented, Past Matrons and Past Patrons, members of Torrance chapter were: Addie Parks, Jean and Ernest Mosher, Billie Kerber, Jeannette Clark, Edna Babcock, Mildred Edwards, Gladys and Gordon Mothersell, Vivian and Frederick Cook, Phyllis Peverley, Joyce and Lawrence Miller, Marguerite and Edward Morgan, Fred Bever, Jack Miller, Floyd Mead, Mae and David Jones and Garnett Satterfield.

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Joint Secular Concert

A contemporary concert of religious and secular music sponsored by the Pacific Unitarian Church, 1610 Acacia Ave., and the St. Cross Episcopal Church choir will be presented August 30 at 4 p.m. at the St. Cross Church, Hermosa Beach.

The program will feature the mass "Missa Brevis," by Zoltan Kodaly, sung by the Los Concioneros choir, augmented by choir members of the Pacific Unitarian Church. The choral group will be directed by Barbara Mabin with Mildred Kammever at the organ.

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Courtesy Night Takes Eastern Star Spotlight

Members Courtesy Night took the spotlight at the recent meeting of the Torrance Chapter Order of Eastern Star.

The chapter opened in the regular manner with courtesy officers serving in at the stations. Special escort was given to the Worthy Matron, Bettina Miller and Worthy Patron, John Pennington.

Business of the chapter was conducted by the Worthy Matron and Marguerite Morgan served as Electa. Good of the Order was presided over by Vincent Viellenave with Evelyn Howland, Florence Viellenave, Bettina Miller and John Pennington speaking.

Courtesy hostesses were Ruby Clere, Phyllis Fluhrer, Rolive Bever, Alice Spegher, Suzl Myers, Margaret Raymond and Ruth Mohr.

Courtesy Officers were: Evelyn Howland, worthy matron; Vincent Viellenave, worthy patron; Jeannette Clark, associate matron; Jack Miller, associate patron; Julia Lougee, secretary; Vivian Hardy, treasurer; Mildred Edwards, conductress; Fern Mead, chaplain; Ruth Morris, marshal; Edna Babcock, organist; Star Points: Kathleen Ritko, Adah; Esther Swiger, Ruth; Gladys Mothersell, Esther; Lillian Macaulay, Martha; Frieda Shaeffer, Electa; Esther Adams, Warder; David Jones, sentinel; Walter Evans, flag bearer; Charles Myers, prompter.

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Rummage Sale Planned

Plans for a late August rummage sale were discussed at the recent meeting of the Trio Rebekah Lodge 240 of Lomita held at the California Hall, Pacific Coast Hwy. and Walnut St.

District Deputy President Herriott Hendrickson will pay the Lodge an official visit at the next meeting scheduled for August 12.

LOMITA FUCHSIA SOCIETY

Lomita Fuchsia Society will hold installation of officers at its 14th anniversary meeting Aug. 21, at Eipper's Gardens, 25338 Pennsylvania Ave.

AWARDED CHAIRMANSHIP

Mrs. Richard Evans of Torrance, one of the four delegates to attend the Estes YWCA Conference was elected as chairman of the Young People's Western Region of YWCA Council.

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Gateway Council Reports Full Representation

Every school in Gateway PTA Council will have a representative on the Los Angeles Tenth District California PTA executive board, announces a council spokesman.

From Phineas Banning High there will be Mmes. E. G. Croom, president of Gateway Council and Louis Higginbotham, representing the Gardena unit of the Health Center. Mrs. Harry T. Nishimoto of Dana Jr. High will represent the San Pedro unit of the Health Center.

Fleming Jr. High has Mrs. C. L. Wilson serving as magazine chairman. Gardena High's representative is Mrs. Eric Heinzman, chairman of emergency child relief and student aid.

Mrs. Francis Anania, president of Lomita-San Pedro Council is a member of Narbonne PTA. Peary Jr. High PTA members include Mmes. C. N. Peterson, harbor regional director; Harry Bally, president of Gardena Council and Gordon T. Lewis, chairman of the pre-compulsory nutrition program.

From San Pedro High there are Mmes. A. C. Akerson, historian; Howard Fults, motion pictures and D. W. Ten Eyck, chairman of district reservations. Mrs. Herman Eisenbeis, chairman of elementary program instruction is from Stephen M. White Jr. High. Members from Wilmington Jr. High are Mmes. James O. Gayer, president of Avalon Council and Mrs. Croom.

Altrusa Club Plans Events

Plans for a September rummage sale and an October card party were discussed at the recent dinner-meeting of the Altrusa Club at the Entre Nous restaurant.

Mrs. Geraldine Sargent was the honored guest and speaker at the meeting. The Club's godmother, Mrs. Sargent was instrumental in helping the local members gain their charter.

She spoke of the aims of the international Altrusa Club here and in the South American countries.

Following the guest speaker initiation ceremonies were conducted for two new members, Dr. Mary Beth Hornbeck and Mrs. Florence McClung.

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